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## SENATE BILL 1754 By Person, Curtis

AN ACT amend Tennessee Code Annotated, relative to the grounds under which an officer may arrest without a warrant.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-7-103, is amended by adding the following new subdivision to subsection (a):

( ) Who is the driver of a motor vehicle involved in a traffic accident, who leaves the scene of the accident, who is apprehended within four (4) hours of the accident, and the officer has probable cause to believe such driver has violated § 55-10-401; SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.